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WEATHER REPORT.
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High-tides tomorrow 12:01 a. m., and 12:21 p. m.

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WATER CO. PLANS NEW RESERVOIR

Work to Start Next Week on $125,000 Dam at Barcroft.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

New Basin Will Hold 600 Million Gallons of Water—Will Cover 75 Acres.

A contract for the construction of the largest dam and reservoir in Northern Virginia, to cost $125,000, has just been awarded by the Alexandria Water Company to the Piedmont Construction Company, of University, Va., and the work on an immense addition to Alexandria's water works will be commenced on next Thursday.

The dam will be built near the site of the old mill dam aet Barcrofte in Fairfax county five one one half miles west of Alexandria. The water Company began purchasing land in that section of the country nine years ago, and two years ago, following a disastrous drought when Aleaxandria suffered a water famine, plans were made for the construction of a new reservoir as soon as it was possible to secure some additional property which was needed. Negotiations have been proceeding very quietly and it was not known until today that the final plans had been completed and that work was about to be commenced.

The dam, which will be thrown across Holmes return, a branch of Cameron Run, which empties into the Potomac river, will be constructed of concrete masonry. It will be six hundred feet in length, 50 feet wide at the base and 70 feet in height. The reservoir will cover 75 acres and will be six and one half miles around.

The new reservoir will hold 600 million gallons of water, which is sufficient to supply the City of Alexandria for two years' time. It is 100 feet higher than the present reservoir located on the top of Shooter's Hill, in the western section of the city, and the water will be brought by gravity to the present reservoir and thence distributed to all portions of the city and Alexandria county. The plans for the dam were made by D. J. Howell & Son, engineers of this city.

The total cost of the land and the construction of the dam and reservoir will be in excess of $250,000 it is said, and when completed Alexandria will have one of the finest and most complete systems of water works in the state.

As is well known the Alexandria Water Company is a private corporatino. Its officers are as follows: Walter Roberts, president; George Uhler, secretary and treasurer and the following board of directors: Edward L. Daingerfield, George S. French, Worth Hulfish, M. A. Ahern, James W. Roberts, and Urban S.Lambert.

IMPROVEMENTS AT BANK.

Every one in Alexandria should pay a visit to the Citizens National Bank, and inspect the new decorated ceiling and walls of the interior, which work was completed yesterday. The ceiling is trimmed in gold with subdued tints to harmonize, which brings out all panels in the ceiling in a most beautiful manner. The decorators are now at work on the exterior of the bank.

In the Corporation Court today a final decree was entered in the case of Carrie R. Wright Allen vs. Samuel D. Allen granting a divorce to the plaintiff from the defendant on the grounds of desertion.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

To My Friends and the General Public:

I wish to announce that I have associated myself with the Dunbarr Floral Company, and ask a continuance of your patronage. Orders taken at market or King street store will receive same attention as heretofore. Thanking you for past favors and continuance of same.

I am, respectfully,
G. G. WOLT.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

Miss Lillie Rotherford, 16-year-old daughter of Robert Rotherford, near Jefferson, Md., while preparing a meal, was so badly burned that she died in agony a few hours later. Her father was seriously burned in attempting to smother the flames. Her mother, ill in an adjoining room, was unable to keep her daughter, and is in a serious condition from the shock. Miss Roterford, while dressing a wound on her arm with turpentine, let the cup fall from her hand, spilling the fluid over her dress. A few minutes later she went into the kitchen and her dress came in contact with a hot stove. In an instant she was in flames, and she ran screaming toward the door. Her father, at work nearby, hastened to her side and made a frantic effort to tear off the blazing clothing. Before he succeeded the victim was burned almost to a crisp.

On the eve of his trial in the criminal court in Philadelphia, on charges of padding the station house pay roll nearly six years ago, Anthony Wagner, a former police lieutenant, ended his life yesterday by shooting himself through the head at his home.

Eighteen-year-old Margaret Donovan was saved from a 300-foot ball from the head of the Statue of Liberty yesterday by her chum, Gladys Revere, who caught hold of her dress just as she was slipping from the window ledge that surrounds Miss Liberty's crown. Screaming for help, Miss Revere held on to the dress with both hands until other sightseers came to the rescue and dragged the girl in feet first. Miss Donovan ventured out on the ledge on a "dare," and became dizzy.

A youth 18 years old and a 19-year-old girl were the principal characters in a lovetragedy enacted yesterday at Antwerp, Belgium. Arm in arm they climbed to the clock gallery in the tower of the Notre Dame Cathedral, and from a height of 180 feet leaped into space, falling at the feet of passersby. Every bone in the bodies of boys and his companion was broken and death was instantaneous. As they hurtled through the air several men and women who witnessed the sight fainted. According to the police, the leap from the church tower was in accordance with a premeditated double suicide pact.

While members of the family and relatives were grouped about the open coffin of Mrs. J. R. Burney's 3-year-old son Thursday at Butte, Cal., listening to the funeral service, the body moved and presently the child, clad in its shroud, sat up and gazed about the room. His eyes caught those of his grandmother, Mrs. L. P. Smith, 81 years old. The aged woman stared at the child as if hypnotized. Then she sank into a chair dead. As she fell the child dropped back into its coffin, from which it was quickly snatched by the mother. A physician said there was no hope for the boy, and death came a few hours later. There were two coffins in the Burney home. Double services were held, and the child and its grandmother were buried side by side.

Eleven members of the Senate and House committees on naval affairs came, it is said, within an inch of being blown to pieces while witnessing the naval target practice at Judith Sound, 90 miles south of Washington, late yesterday. Shooting while a thick haze hung over the water, the gunners on the monitor Tallahassee mistook for the taregt the United States yacht Dolphin, on board of which were most of the members of the official party. The 800-pound shell, propelled from a 12-inch gun, passed directly over the stern of the Dolphin, so close as to cut one of the ropes attached to the yacht's rigging. The shell exploded just before striking the water, and the committee members, while thoroughly frightened, suffered nothing more serious than a drenching from the water and spray stirred up by the projectile.

DIED

On Friday, April 25, 1913, RICHARD B. COGAN, aged 54 years. Funeral will take place from the residence, 1012 Prince street (tomorrow) Sunday afternon, at 3 o'clock Friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited.

Elliott's special for Saturday—1 gallon freezers for $1.98.

PAY OF RICHMOND JURORS WITHELD

State Auditor Refuses to Honor Drafts of Corporation Court.

HOTEL MEN MAY LOSE.

Rammel and Whitestone Cash Warrants For Jurors and Will be Out $75 Unless Richmond Men Refund

W. L. Rammel and Robert P. Whitestone, proprietors of the Hotel Rammel are bemoaning their kindly assistance to 14 of the 25 Richmond jurors who were sumoned here to try Lewis Hooff, in the Corporation Court here this week, for unles sthe Richmond people come to their assistance the hotel proprietors stand to lose about $75 on them, because they cashed the vouchers of the Corporation Court for the jurors' mileage and expenses.

At the conclusion of the Hooff trial Clerk Greenaway, of the Corporation Court, issued the warrants for the jurors, paying them the customary rate of five cents per mile for each mile traveled and their per diem for their service on the jury which amounted to $1 for the jurors who came but did not serve on the jury and $1.50 for the 12 who were actually jurors.

The warrants were cashed at the Hotel Rammel is is oftern the case and this morning Thomas W. Robinson,city treasurer received a special delivery letter from C. Lee Moore, state auditor, instructing him not to honor the warrants as the jurors had ben over paid $5.50 each.

According to the auditor's interpretation of the law, the jurors should only have been paid their actual railway fare from Richmond to Alexandria and return, which was $5.50.As there is no appeal from Mr. Moore's opinion, except through the courts,which would involve an extensive test of the interpretation of the law by the Supreme Court of Appeals, Messrs. Rammel and Whitestone stand to lose $5.50 on each warrant unless the Richmond people refund the amount which was overpaid them.

Auditor Moore's letter to Mr. Robinson is as follows:

"Recently a jury was summoned from Richmond City to try a case in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria. I have understood that the amount of mileage allowed each juror was $10.90, and I understood the Clerk of the Court had issued certificates to the several jurors to that effect. I am, therefore, writing you to advise you that I will not pay out of the Treasury, mileage of $10.90 for such jurors, and wish to give you this information before you cash the certificates issued the jurors.

"Section 4049 of the Code makes the compensation and mileage of jurors in criminal cases the same as that provided for in civil cases by section 3160 of the Code, and this latter section provides that each juror shall receive $1.50 for each day's attendance of the court and 5 cents a mile for each mile of travel necessarily travelled in going to and returning from Court, such mileage, however, in no case to exceed $1.00 per day. Notwithstanding the law permits the Court to allow jury mileage in no event to exceed $1.00 per day (this provision being based upon the idea that the jury will always be from the County in which the trial ocurs) nevertheless, I think a jury summoned from outside the County should receive his actual expense of transportation, and am willing to pay allowances which provide actual expense of transportation (but no more for mileage) and the $1.50 each per diem fixed by law."

PROPERTIES WANTED.

We wish to increase our list of farms, country homes, and suburban properties. As to our business methods we would refer you to Mr. Roger B. Farquhar, Rockville, Md., Mr. Paul Kester, Theological Seminary, Va., and to Mr. W. B. Morgan, Piscataway, Md., whose properties, involving nearly $100,000 we recently sold. Immediate correspondence solicited. H. W. Hilleary & Co., 419 Southern Building, Washington, D. C.

PREPARE FOR THE BAZAAR.

Friends of the Alexandria Hospital Requested to Aid Management.

The friends of the human race and of the Alexandria Hospital, that institution whose motto is "The Greatest Good to the Greatest Number," are asked to keep in mind the bazaar which is to be held for the benefit of the Hospital next October. The bazaar will continue a week, and everybody will have a chance to come and help. There will be all kinds of interests represented and every kind of department, so any thing you have to give can be placed on sale and converted into cash for the new hospital building. Don't forget to put up a few extra cans of fruits and vegetables, your very best jellies, preserves, pickels, etc., for the bazaar. Try to take the prize for the very best. Groceries, cakes and all sorts of good things will be on sale there. Dainty bits of fancy work and novelties of all kinds will be made by the ladies during the summer. Now is a good time to plan what part you will take in the affair and have lots of time to carry out your plans. Everybody is interested and many have offered already to contribute to its success. What new idea can you offer?

NEW MOVING PICTURES.

Alexandrians to Enjoy Outdoor Exhibitions Will Open Monday.

The Dixie Aardome, which is to give its first moving picture performance Monday night, is under the management of Alexandrians, Archie Fair, being manager. All Alexandria people are to be employed, with the exception of the operator, Mr. Wm. Graney. The airdome will comfortably seat about 700 people, and with standing room can accommodate about a thousand patrons.

On the opening night the management promises several unusual pictures, and intends to conduct the place in a maner to win the approval and approbation of all Alexandrians who enjoy viewing good moving pictures. There will be no crowding and no lack of ventilation with only the sky overhead. Patrons will doubtless enjoy the innovation of outdoor pictures, it being a healthy and sanitary arrangement. No apprehension need be felt as to the pictures not showing clearly on the screen, the display of pictures in the open air being attended with as great success and clearness of expression as those that are shown indoors.

There will be a show every night, weather permitting. The program is to be of the best and varied.

LOSES IN RACE WITH DEATH.

Wife Too Late to See Her Husband Alive.

Baltimore, April 26.—In a race with death yesterday, the other contestant being the wife of Walter E. Barr, of Winchester, Va., death won.

Barr, who was an inmate of Dr. W. E. Wyse's Deer Park Sanatorium, at Pikesville, eluded the vigilance of his attendant early yesterday morning, wandered to the Northern Central Railroad tracks near Woodberry station and there was ground beneath the wheels of a train. His legs were cut off at the knees. He was rushed to the Mercy Hospital, where he died at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His wife reached Baltmore a few minutes after his death.

Barr, who was a prominent merchant of Winchester, had been a patient at the sanatorium for about two months, taking treatment for his nerves. It had been his habit to walk with an attendant, but yesterday he eluded his guardian and started off alone. It is believed that he left the institution and got off the main road. How he got upon the tracks is a matter of conjecture

A telegram was sent to Winchester, Va., informing Mrs. Barr of the accident. She immediately boarded a train for this city. She was met at Camden station oy Dr. Wyse and taken to the home of relatives on Park Heights avenue. The body will be taken to Winchester this afternoon.

Besides his widow he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Dabney), of Staunton, Va., and Mrs. C. E. Hundsberry, of Winchester.

REV. DR. LLOYD'S CONDITION.

Mrs. George Uhler received a telegram today from Salem, Va., stating that the condition of Rev. Dr. John Lloyd, who was recently paralyzed is critical.

MEDALS AWARDED VIRGINIA HEROES

Danville, Glade Springs and Hillsville Homes of Winners.

ONE LOST HIS LIFE.

Another Saves From Flood in the River and One Rescues Fellow Workman From Deep Well.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 26.—Three Virginians are included in the list of awards made public by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission. They are Peter W.H.Finney,of Hillsville; Wm. Orr,of Glade Springs, and Charles G. Davis, of Danville.

The report of the commission gives the following accounts of the heroic deeds which earned the awards:

William M. Orr, R. F. D. No. 1, Glade Springs, Va., bronze medal and $1,000 as needed.

Orr, aged 33; saw mill operator, saved W. McDonald Morriss, aged 10, from drowning, Glade Springs, Va., March 16, 1912. Orr, who was very heavily dressed jumped into the middle fork of the Holston River, which was at flood stage with a current of six miles an hour, and swam to Morriss, who was unconscious,and drifted downstream 75 feet from the bank. Two men returned to the bank in fright, and after vainly trying to breast the current on horses. Orr grabbed Morriss and swam with him to a point ten feet from the bank, when he attempted to touch bottom and was swept off his feet. He was becoming tired and called for help. Immediately he was against a nearby submerged bush, grabbed a limb and pulled himself toward the bank. They were helped out and Morriss was revived.

Peter W. H. Finney, deceased, R. F. D. No. 3 Hillsvile, Va.; silver medal to sister and pension of $25 a month.

Finney aged 22, farmer, died attempting to save John Thomas, aged 44, farmer, and well digger, from suffocation, Snake Creek, Va., May 26, 1911. Thomas was overcome by gas in a well 40 feet deep in which he had set off a blast of dynamite some hours before, and, although several men refused to descend to his aid, Finey descended into the well with a rope around his body and tied it to Thomas, and told the men to pull him up quickly. Before Thomas was gotten to the surface Finney was overcome. Finney's dead body was removed from the well by means of hooks forty five minutes later.

Charles G. Davis, 706 Patton street Danville, Va.; silver medal and $2,000 as needed for educational purposes

Davis, aged 18, laborer. saved W. Franklin Gorman, aged 26, well digger,from suffocation, Charlotte, N. C., September 19, 1911. Gorman had called to be hoisted out of a well, and, when the bucket in which he stood was ten feet from the bottom and 25 feet from the top he was overcome by gas. He fell, and having twisted his legs around the rope, hung head downward. Three men at the surface said they feared to enter the well, and they were afraid to hoist Gorman further lest he would fall to the bottom. Davis descended on the rope to Gorman and asured himself that Gorman was in a safe position to be hoisted to the surface. He then climbed hand over hand until his arms were near the surface, when he became weak and called for help. A man caught his arm and assisted him from the well. Gorman was hoisted and was revived, although he did not fully recover for two or three weeks.

DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY.

Friendship Council, No. 28, Daughters of Liberty, are still adding to their membership. At their meeting last night, one candidate was initiated, according to the impressive ritual of the order. Friendship Council will report a large increase to the state council which meets at Norfolk May 27th and 28th.

Elliott's special for Saturday—2 burner new Perfection oil Stove $5.98.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dr. J. H. Bitzer, of this city, has been asked by Potomac Presbytery to give a series of illustrated lectures in the interest of foreign missons.

The schoner Chase, from the lower Potomac, loaded with lumber for W. A. Smoot & Co., has arrived.

Rt. Rev. Robert A. Gibson, bishop of Virginia, will confirm a class at St. Paul's Episcopal Church at the 11 o'clock service tomorow morning.

In the Circuit Court of Alexandria county yesterday, Judge J. B. T. Thornton, granted a renewal of the license of the Arlington Brewing Co., whose plant is located at Rosslyn.

The White-Sox A. C. will line up against the Rose-Buds Sunday on the grounds at the Point, at 2:30 p. m. As both are strong teams, a good game is expected.

A meeting of men and boys will be held in the Young People's Building tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The meeting will be under the auspices of Lone Star Camp, No. 1, American Indian Guards. Rev. C. R. Strausburg will deliver an address on the occasion.

THE FLY CAMPAIGN.

Alexandria Children Requested to Wage War on Beelzebub.

Cash contributions totaling $71 have been received by the Alexandria Health Department toward paying the expenses of fighting the house fly during the four months that the fly campaign is to run.

As has been stated, this is not sufficient to carry out the plans of Dr. Gorman health officer, and all merchants and others interested in destroying the house fly are urged to contribute at once to carry on this work. With the exception of $1.00 a week paid a boy to count or measure the flies brought in by the children competiting for prizes, all the money contributed by the citzens will be offered as prizes to the contestants in the fly swatting.

It is the desire of Dr. Gorman who is in charge of the campaign, to offer at least three good cash prizes each month. It is hoped to make the first prize $25, the second prize $15, and a third prize of $10, with additional smaller prizes and special prizes which are to be offered each month.

ALEXANDRIA'S DOGS.

Strangers Still Suppose We Are Having Trouble With Canines.

Alexandria has been given considerable free advertisng since the authorities declared war on ownerless curs. Constantinople, so long noted for its plethora of dogs, may lose its laurels if many more fake dispatches are sent from this city.

The Gazette has from time to time during the past few weeks clipped from other papers and published amusing acounts of the alleged adventures of dogcatchers in Alexandria. The following appeared in a prominent New York paper a few days ago:

There was consternation when the town's brand new dog wagon, filled with animals of high and low degree, drove up to the city hall. The Town Council had forgotten to provide a dog pound. "You can't put them in here," yelled the janitor. "Take 'em down to the jail and lock 'em up in cells." Several of the more vicious animals were put in cells. The others were turned loose.

AUCTION SALES.

Samuel H. Lunt, auctioneer, sold at the Royal street entrance to the City Hall at noon today an eight-room frame house and stable No. 911 Franklin street, to W. W. Simpson, for $2,175.

R. F. Knox, auctioneer, sold at noon today in front of the Royal street entrance to the City Market the residue of the "Belvoir," or "White House" tract of land located in Mount Vernon Magisterial District, Fairfax county, Va., containing about 1,100 acres with improvements to Daniel D. Thompson, John S. West and J. N. Gibbs, for $26,525.

..Steamed hard shell crabs daily at Rammel's Cafe.

ALLEGED MONOPOLY AT MOUNT VERNON

Congressman Cary Introduces Resolution to Probe Affairs.

EXORBITANT RATE

Alleges Ladies' Association Gets Fifteen Cents For Each Person Brought to the Grounds.

Washington, April 26.—A demand for a Congressional investigation of the management of Mt. Vernon by the Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association, and of the alleged exorbitant rates charged by the two common carriers landing passengers at the former home of Washington, is demanded in a resolution introduced in the House today by Congressman William J. Cary of Wisconsin.

The resolutions's preamble makes the direct charge that the Mt. Vernon and Marshall Hall Steamboat Company has a monopoly of the traffic by water to Washington's home and that the Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association derives a share of the profits from such monopoly. It is further declared tha tthe rates by rail over the line of the Washington Utilties Company are alos exorbitant.

Criticism is made of the fact that thousands of Americans are unable to visit Mt. Vernon because it is not open Sundays.

The resolution asks an investigation at the hands of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and the Cary resolution went to the Rules Committee. The Wisconsin Congressman said today he sought eventually to have the government acquire Washington's home and to make it more accessible to those who want to visit there.

Special charges in the resolution are that for many years the steamboat company has paid to the Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association 15 cents in addition to the admission fee of 25 cents which is included in the 75 cents charged for a round-trip ticket and admission to the grounds, the association so getting 40 cents for each visitor admitted.

The arbitrary one-way rate of 65 also criticized(as is the closing of the cents, including the admisison fee, is grounds on Sunday, which deprives many workingmen from a chance to see the home of the first President.

Mr. Cary's resolution recites the fact tha organizations all over the country have urged free admission to the grounds, as well as the Sunday opening, and closes by empowering the committee on interesate and foreign commerce to hold hearings and examine witnesses, compel the production of any necessary documentary evidence from the corporations involved, and report its endings to the House.

FORMER RESIDENT ILL.

The many friends in this city of Miss Elizabeth Addison, daughter of the late Dr. Edward B. Addison, formerly of upper King street, will regret to learn of her extreme illness at her home, 1520 P street northwest, Washington, D .C. Miss Addison for many years resided in Alexandria.

3,000 COPIES TODAY

Today's issue of the Gazette consists of 3,000 copies, 1,000 sample copies being sent to prospective subscribes in Alexandria and surrounding counties Many additional papers will be printed during the next few weeks and mailed out as an active campaign has been commenced by the Gazettee management to increase its subscrition list.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria-- Happenings in Society.

Mrs. C. E. Outcalt will sing in the M. E. Church South at the services tomorrow morning. At night Mr. J. Humbird Duffy, of New York, will sing.

Miss Alice Anderton has returned to her home in Braddock after a visit with Miss Marguerite Elkins, in East Orange, N. J.

Miss Betsy Page, of Fairfax, is the guest of Miss Cora Jones in Prince street.

Miss Marguerite Ames, of Washington, is the guest of Miss Harriett Douglas, in Cameron street.

Mrs. William Lloyd and son, Mr. Gardner Lloyd, of East Orange, N. J., is the guest of relatives in this city.

The subscription dance given last evening at Elks' Hall by members of the Alexandria German Club was one of the most enjoyable of the season. Music was furnished by Schroeder's orchestra. At midnight supper was served.

The chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kemper, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brockett, Mesdames James Sidney Douglas, Laurence Stabler, Charles C. Carlin, Edward S. Fawcett, D. Moxley Lowe, John F. Tackett, Charles M. Shepperson, Mrs. William Lloyd, of Red Bank, N. J., Miss Phillipa Wattles and Mr. Carroll Pierce.

Among the out-of-town guests present were Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Iden, of Manassas, Mr. and Mrs. Ashton H. Clapham, of Leesburg, Lieut, and Mrs. Charles M. Maigne, U. S. N., and Mrs. Earl Clarke and Misses Eloise Orme, Nellie Davidson, Nannie McClelland, Edith Pigeon, Marguerite Ames, Buford Brice, Marion Parker, and Marjorie Russ, of Washington, D. C., Miss Emma Lloyd Campbell, of Texas, Miss Betsey Page, of Fairfax, Miss Wayle, of Norfolk, Miss Irving, of Chicago. Messrs. Gardner Lloyd, of Red Bank, N. J., Thomas Foster, of Markham, Va., Messrs. Seldon Washington, William Naylor, Kent Roberts, Orville Ecker, Charles Stearnes, John Reeves, Vincent Smith, Perry Bowman, Burr, Nevius, Marr, Robert Jones, Stanley Holland, Ernest Ransdell and Dr. Ecker, of Washington.

Others present were Misses Virginia Meade, Eliza Douglas, Anna Barley, Lisa Anderson, Delia Phillips, Christina Kemper, Harriett Spofford, Mary Snowden, Katherine Waller, Cora Jones, Roxie Doniphan, Harriett Douglas, Mary Phillips, Kittie Barrett, Esther Burke, Mary Glenn Uhler, Messrs. Wallace Fawcett, Wallace Lindsey, Beauderic Howell, Jenifer Harrison, Keith Carlin, Edward Fawcett, William Brooke, Windsor Snowden, Richard Chichester, Bryan Pitts, Garnett Pitts, Eddie Nicol, Edmund Hunter, James Roberts, Jr., Walter Foster, Ward Boswell, Stanley Blanton, Bedford Uhler, Douglas Lindsey, Julian Burke, Page Waller, James S. Douglas, Jr., Dr. J. L. Ashton, and Dr. Vivian Berry.

PRESENT BIBLES AND FLAG.

Belle Haven and James W. Jackson Councils Visit Ballston Yesterday Afternoon

A large delegation of members of Belle Haven Council, No. 6, and James W. Jackson Council, No. 55, Jr. U. A. M., went to Ballston yesterday afternoo nand presented the school there with Bibles and a handsome United States flag. The Bibles, in a few well chosen words, were presented by Rev. Wm. J. Morton, rector of Christ Church of this city, and the flag by Hon. Thomas B. Ivey, of Lynchburg, the State Secretary of the Order in Virginia. The speeches of acceptance were made on behalf of the school by Messrs. Shipman, a number of the schol board, and Hodge, superintendent of schools.

A most elaborate program was arranged and very succesfully rendered by the children of the school, which consisted of many drills, songs and recitations.

So enthused were the people of Ballston over the affair that application is about to be made for a charter to establishe a branch of the order at that place.

Most appetizing refreshments were served all present at the conclusion of the ceremonies.

ODD FELLOWS' ANNIVERSARY.

Potomac & Sarepta Lodges And Canton Alexandria Will Attend First Baptist Church Tomorrow Night.

As has been stated, Potomac Lodge, No. 38, and Sarepta Lodge, No. 46, I. O. O. F., will attend the First Baptist Church tomorrow night. The members of the lodges will meet at their hall on north Columbus street at 7 o'clock, from which place they will march to the church.

Canton Alexandria, No. 1, Patriarchs Militant, will also aettend the services. They will wear their new dress uniforms for the first time.

Rev. Dr. W. F. Watson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will deliver a special sermon on the occasion, it being the 74th anniversary of Potomac Lodge, and the 94th anniversary of the order.

The first lodge of Odd Fellows was started in Baltimore in the Seven Star Tavern on Water street.

In accordance with a proclamation issued by Grand Sire C. A. Keller, of Texas lodges throughout the world will celebrate the day.

DELICIOUS CRABS RECEIVED.

James Magner, the proprietor of the well known cafe on Royal street, is keeping up his reputation for serving delicious crabs. He is now receiving shipments of the very finest specimens of the shellfish brought to Alexandria which are served in the style that has given him a well deserved reputation

MRS. BACKFORD'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs Loula A. Blackford, wife of Wyndham R. Blackford, whose death took place on yesterday, was held this morning at Ivy Hill cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Church. Only the immediate relatives were in attendance. Herh usband is a nephew of L. M. Blackford, principal of the Episcopal High School.

PREPARE FOR THE PRIMARY.

Joint Meeting of City and County Committees Last Night

The city and county democratic committees held a joint meeting last night at the Hotel Rammel and fixed upon Tuesday, July 8th, as the day upon which the primary election for the nomination of a candidate for the House of Delegates will be held.

Previous to the meeting of the joint session the City Democratic Committee was called to order by Chairman Charles Bendhem. There were present R. T. Cook (secretary), and O. F. Phillips, S. P. Fisher and Richard Gibson. The committee announced that the candidates for the state and city positions in Alexandria, having no opposition no primay election would be held, and they were accordingly declared the nominees. They are as follows:

Thomas W. Robinson, City Treasurer; E. F. Price, City Auditor; Jno. B. Waller, Clerk of Gas; P. F. Gorman, Collector of Taxes; Charles H. Callahan, Commissioner of Revenue; Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of Courts; Robert H. Cox, City Sergeant; Samuel G. Brent, Commonwealth's Attorney; Samuel P. Fisher, Corporation Attorney; C. H. Smith, Measurer of Wood and Bark, and C. S. Swain, Measurer of Lumber.

The following are the candidates for justices of the peace: First Ward, Luther H. Thompson and Richard B. Washington, two being provided for in this ward; Second Ward, Julius Pelton; Third Ward, Harry White; Fourth Ward, C. S. Sipple.

The joint session of the city and county committees was later held.

On motion of Mr. Bendheim Walter U Varney was chosen chairman and on motion of Mr. Cook, George W. Zachary was chosen secretary.

On motion of Mr. Fisher it was agreed that the primary election for a candidate for the House of Delegates be held on Tuesday, July 8th. It was also anounced that candidates must file their names with the chairman of the joint committee before May 8. Messrs. J. F. Birrell, of Alexandria and E.W.R.Ewing, of Alexandria county, have announced themselves candidates.

After approximating the cost of the primary and making the necessary assessments of the candidates, the joint committee adjourned.

It was anounced by Mr. Bendheim that members of the city democratic committe would also be chosen at the primary.

DEATH OF MRS. POISAL.

Mrs. Laura Virginia Poisal, 68 years old, widow of Rev. W. M. Poisal, (at one time pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church of this city, and later of Bethany M. P. Church), and daughter of the late Edward V. Covey, of Bay Side, Talbot county, Md., died yesterday morning at her home, Hanfel Hall, Talbot road, Windsor Hills, Md. Since the death of her husband last Thanksgivng Day a year ago she has been in ill health. The deceased was married to Mr. Poisal in 1863. Mrs. Poisal is survived by a son (Carlton E. Poisal), of Baltimore, and a daughter, (Miss L. May Poisal), of Windsor Hills.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORKERS.

Virginia Convention n Annual Session at Fredericksburg.

Fredericksburg, Va., April 26.—The Virginia Sunday-School Convention, assembled in annual session at the Baptist Church here yesterday, will continue its work tomorrow and Sunday, including Sunday night. M. E. Church, of Falls Church, president, called the convention to order. B. P. Willis, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday-school, welcomed the delegates in behalf of Fredericksburg.

Rev. B. W. Kindley, of Baltimore, general secretary of the Maryland Sunday-School Asociaton, spoke on the subject. "The Efficient School;" while Rev. A. R. McKinney, of New York, superintendent of the New York City Mission and Tract Society, discoursed on the topic, "After the Primary What?"

Last night a song and praise service was conducted by Rev. Joseph T. Watts, of Richmond, Sunday school secretary of the Baptist State Mission Board.

The convention address proper, was by Prof. R. E. Gaines, of Richmond College, whose subject was "Sunday school and the Coming of the Kingdom."

Many delegates are here from various parts of the State, besides prominent Sunday-school workers from elsewhere.

HORROR OF SCUTARI.

Corpses Strewn About Streets and Many Women and Children Dead or Dying of Exhaustion.

Cetinje, April 26.—Conditions in the fortress of Scutari on Wednesday last when Essad Pasha, the Turkish commander surendered to the Montenegrins were appalling. The Turkish troops and the whole population were in a state of such extreme exhaustion from lack of food that Esad Pasha had been threatened with death unless he agreed to capitulate. When the victors entered they were surrounded by half-starved men and women clamoring for food.

The hospitals were also in horrible condition. Unburied corpses were lying about in the streets and in the houses many persons were found dead or dying from exhaustion.

In the last few days of the siege whenever Essad Pasha appeared in public he was followed by groups of desperate famished natives demanding "bread or surrender!"

The Montenegrins alleviated the immediate distress of the stricken population, but their own supplies were scanty King Nicholas of Montenegro has dispatched three boats to Scutari laden with provisions and medical and sanitary supplies.

Crown Prince Danilo, commander of the Montenegrin forces, telegraphs from Scutari that the Turkish garrison, which was allowed to march out of the fortress with full honors of war, consisted of 26,000 Nazams of soldiers, or iregular volunteers of the active army; 5,000 Baschibazouks, or irregulah colunterse, and 458 officers, including a number of Austrians.

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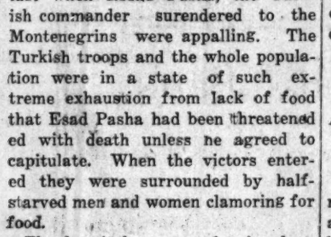

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PRAYER FOR CHINA.

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Richmond, Va., April 26.—Episcopal churches of Virginia will offer a special prayer for the new government of China tomorrow, in compliance with the request of Bishop Robert A. Gibson, of the Diocese of Virginia. It has been asked by Bishop Gibson that attention be given to the following notice, which has been sent out:

"The prayer prepared by the Presiding Bishop of the church and sent out by the Board of Missions in accordance with the request of the government of China is hereby authorized for use in the Diocese of Virginia until the new president of China is elected."

The State Department in Washington has transmitted the request for prayer for the new Chinese government, which was made by Rev. Dr. Pott, of Shanghai, acting in the absence of Bishop Graves.

The prayer is as follows:

"O God, the helper of al who call upon Thee, without Whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy; look with compassion upon the people of China. In Thy mercy let them know the Truth, that the Truth may make them free. Lead them in the paths of righteousness; guide them in the choice of a chief magistrate; direct and prosper the work of the National Assembly; and grant that all things may be so ordered and settled by their endeavors upon the best and surest foundations that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety may be established in their land for all generations. These things and whatever else. Thou shalt see to be necessary for them, we humbly beg through the name and mediation of Jesus Christ, the Lord and Saviour of all mankind. Amen."

PRESIDENT YUAN INVOLVED.

A Startling Story of Intrigue and Murder in China.

Shanghai, April 26.—The government of the province of Kiang-Su has addressed to the government at Pekin provisional governors and members of Parliament, sensational correspondence, which seeks to show that President Yuan Shi Kai sanctioned the assassination of General Sung, former minister of education. General Sung was shot down at the railroad station here, March 20, and died several days later.

His assasin escaped, but later General Sung received a letter purporting to have been written by the asailant apologizing for his attack and declaring that Sung had been mistaken by him for General Hsing, commander-in-chief-of the troops in Southern Fu-Kien

The correspondence which the Shanghai government has made public is alleged to have passed between the premier's secretary and a secret service man named Jung. It tends to show that the premier's secretary inspired Jung to manufacture evidence that General Sung was dangerous to the government, and also that Jung arranged the murder of General Sung with the knowledge and sanction of President Yuan Shi Kai It also alleges that Jung accused Dr. Sun Yet Sen, former provisional president, of scheming to make General Sung president of the republic.

It is expected here that the revelations made in the correspondence will cause difficulties for President Yuan Shi Kai, and possibly bring about a crisis.

Jury Unable to Agee.

Bristol, Va., April 26.—The Abingdon jury, which heard the case of Peter Shelly, 60 years old, charged with the murder of Leck Short, whom he stabbed to death during the holidays was unable to agree after many hours' deliberation, and was discharged yesterday. Shelly claims self-defense.

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LAUNCHING OF COLLIER.

Nereus Takes the Water at Newport News Today,

Newport News, Va., April 26.—The navy collier Nereus was launched here today and is a counterpart of the Proteus, launched some time ago. It is expected that both will be put into commission next fall.

The Nereus has a length over all of 522 feet, with a sixty-two foot beam. She has a low draft of 27 feet six inches, and a displacement of about 19,000 tons, and is designed to make about fourteen knots an hour. She will be driven by twin-screw reciprocating engines.

Her capacity is 12,000 tons and she is equipped with devices to facilitate loading and unloading. It is expected that she will be able to deliver 900 tons per hour, or sexenty-five tons from each hatch in unloading. The Nereus will cost $90,000.

The Proteus was christened by Senator Thomas S. Martin's little daughter. Mis Annie Seymour Jones daughter of Representative William A. Jones, was chosen by Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels to be sponsor for the naval collier Nereus. Assistant Secretary Frank V. Roosevel. represented the navy department.

GROWING BETTER.

Nothing Unusual in Governor Mann's Condition.

Richmond, Va., April 26.—Governor Mann shows continued improvement from the operation for appendicit's, and at no time since he went to the operating table has there been a symptom of anything out of the ordinary in his case. He is at times a bit restless, but not nearly so much so as many hundreds of other cases have been. He is improving day and night, and it was stated at the hospital today that Thursday night was the best night that he has yet had, the patient sleeping soundly. At 11 o'clock, when one of the physicians called, he was snoring soundly and he was not interrupted.

He is getting a bit more food, but so far he is not allowed to have broiled chicken, roast beef, salads, asparagus, celery, tomatoes, pies, cakes or cream. That is in store for him.

Yesterday he was reading the papers, resting and lending all his energies to regain his strength. He is still very cheerful, says he is feeling fine and hopes to be able to get back to few days.

Crushed to Death.

Newport News, Va., April 26.—Jas. G. Phillips, a machinist, was crushed to death and his helper, Major Bailey was fatally hurt, both of his legs being mashed nearly off, yesterday morning, when a casting weighing 7,000 pounds dropped from an overhead crane in the machine shops at the local shipyard.

Phillips, a married man, was killed instantly, and Bailey is dying in a local hospital. The coroner's jury found the accident was caused from the breaking of a faulty chain supporting the casting.

Minister Stars in Game.

Harrisonburg, Va., April 26.—Harrisonburg High School defeated Mount Clinton yesterday, 13 to 2. Rev. H. A. Young, a prominent Presbyterian minister, is the star player for Mount Clinton. A young son of Rev. E. L. Folk, of Harrisonburg, is a promising pitcher for Harrisonburg.

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ANOTHER CHARGE AGAINST WOMEN.

Mrs. Julian Heath, president of the National House-wives' League, at a meeting in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce under the auspices of the Washington Housekeepers' Alliance, among other things said:

"The practical solution of the high cost of living lies with the housewife. Injudicious expenditure of money and lack of knowledge of market prices have more to do with the present high cost of living than the tariff or any one other economic condition.

"It is not sufficient for a woman to be a shrewd manager; she must protect herself against dishonest dealers, False weights are an important factor in the high cost of living. Three-quarters of the income of the middle class and nine-tenths of the income of the lower class is spent by the women, and yet there has been no effort to make them efficient in the handling of money or the purchase of suplies."

The troubles of the world have been laid at the door of woman since Pandora's curiosity brought woe into the world, and now she is charged by one of her own sex with being responsible for the soaring of prices of the necessities of life.. We need not be surprised should some cold-blooded member of the race place the blame of the Omaha cyclone and the flood in the Mississippi Valley at her door.

The charge alluded to above seems the most baseless we ever heard of. A thoughtful housewife starts out to replenish her larder and finds that bacon, beef, veal and other meats are twice as high as they were a score of years ago, and are almost beyond the reach of the great majority. Butter is also at the high water mark, as well as nearly every other article entering into a menu. How she can help such conditions is hard to understand.

While there may be some thoughtless women who do not realize the value of a dollar, the great mass of housewives are more careful than men in their expenditures. In fact they act as a check wheel upon the prodigal spirit of their liege lords.

Missionary Association.

Harisonburg, Va., April 26.—The annual meeting of the Virginia branch o fthe Women's Missionary Association opened last night in the United Brethren Church in Dayton, Rockingham county, and will continue until Sunday night in the United Brethren Church in Dayton, Rockingham county, and will continue until Sunday night. Delegates are present from Virginia. Miss Ida Funkhouser, of Harrisonburg, the president, delivered the address of welcome last night. Greetings to visitors were extended by Mrs. J. K. Ruebush, of Dayton, with response by Mrs. B. H. Gruver, of Reliance. Among the delegates present is Miss Ida Judy, of Petersburg, W. Va., the conference evangelist.

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A RETROSPECT.

After the ball is over, after the dance is done,
After an evening's pleasure, after a round of fun,
What has the night's sport brought you, what has it's pleasures paid?
Surely, no loss it's cost you, was there a profit made?

How the soft tones of music floated through the summer air,
And to the gliding dancers seemed so completely fair,
What could there be in the rythm set to the sprighly dance,
That could enthrall and hold you, that could so truly enhance?

Ah, then, the morning after brings you a vision bright,
And you can see her smiling, just as she smiled last night,
Yes, just her sparkling bright eyes, and just a hand-clasp true,
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All right, Boston, come back again. The Alexandria fans are not rooting for you, but they admit you can give our Nationals a good run for their money.

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And the world seems all in tune,
And we'll soon be scratching 'Squitoes
In the merry month of June

YESTERDAY'S GAME.

Yesterday afternoon McGuire School of Richmond swamped the A. H. S. in the poorest game that they have played this season by the score of 13 to 3. Raison started for the A. H. S. but received miserable support and was relieved by S. Nalls, in the 7th inning. The A. H. S got three on in and none out in the 1st inning, but failed to score.

Summary: Battries, A. H. S. Raison, S. Nalls and W. Nalls, McGuire Hammond and Craven, Hits off Raison 11, off S. Nalls, 5, off Hammond 6. Stolen bases: A. H. S. 7. McGuire 6. Base on balls, off Hammond 6. Erros A. H. S. 16: McGuire 8. Two base hits: Howard, Starkey, T. Cogbill, Leach.

VIRGINIAN WAS NOT LOST.

Brother Hears From Man he Supposed Had Lost Life.

Pottstown, Pa., April 26.—William Mayo, a local business man, has just heard from his brother, Charles, who, he believed, sank with the Titantic. A man named Mayo, whose description sent by the steamship company, tallied with that of his brother, was reported among the lost.

The fact that the missing man was in England, when the steamship sailed strengthened the belief that he was lost. He is in business at Mulberry, Va.

NEW LOCOMOTIVES.

Richmond Branch of American Company Receives Order for Fifty

Richmond, Va., April 26,—President Horohan, of the Seaboard Air Line, to-day ordered firty "Pacific" model locomotives from the Richmond Branch of the American Locomotive Co. The engines cost twenty thousand dollars each and work is to be rushed.

To Face 100 Warrants.

Richmond, Va., April 26.—William J. Rowley, former auditor of the Jefferson Hotel, charged with misappropriating $8,000 of the funds of the Jefferson Hotel corporation, continues ill in the city jail hospital and because of this fact his hearing set for yesterday, was continued until May 3.

According to Arthur M. Cannon, local representative of the bonding company that supplied Rowley with a $10,000 bond, Rowley will face approximately 100 warrants when he is able to appear in court. Rowley's preliminary hearing will be on two warrants charging the alleged theft of $2,275.19, a sum representing two days' receipts of the hotel.

Car Kills Foreman.

Roanoke, Va., April 26.—John Thomas Hundley, aged 65 years, a foreman of carpenters in the employ of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, at Belspring, Pulaski, was struck by a car and killed in the shop yards of the Norfolk and Western here yesterday. He was standing between the rails of a side track and near the end of a detached car when another car was shifted on to the track against the detached car. Hundley was knocked down and the trucks of the car passed over the lower limbs and body.

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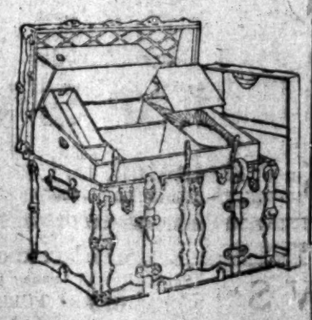

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Ram Katahdin Sunk.

Norfolk, Va., April 25.—According to reports received in this city the ram Katahdin was sunk in Chesapeake bay after being twice torpedoed by the battleships Delaware and Rhode Island, and the monitor Tallahasee. The Katahdin was used as a target in determining the value of a new kind of explosive used in the making of torpedoes. The old ram was anchored near the mouth of the Potomac river in shoal water to prevent her from being completely submerged if she went down.

A turret shaped target, made of heavy armor plate, was constructed on her deck, and the torpedoes were aimed at this. Unofficial reports say one of the torpedoes tore a big hole in the side of the Katahdin below the water line, causing her to settle in the mud.

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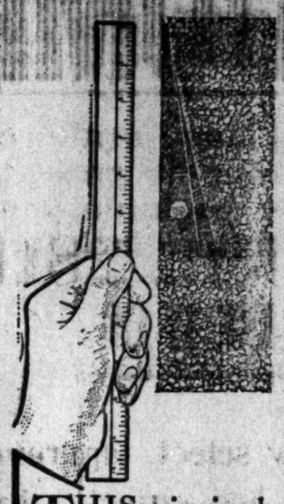

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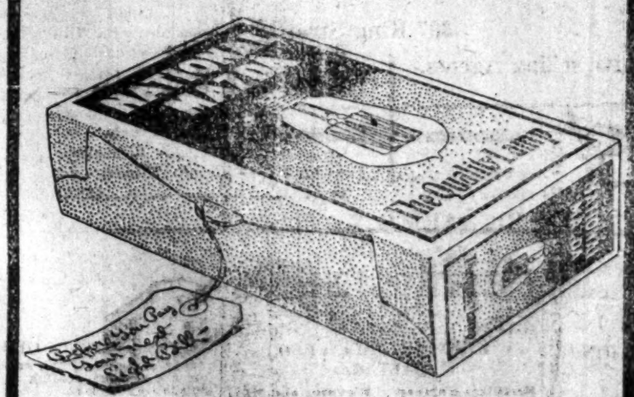

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AT THE CHURCHES.

The anniversary services of Trinity M. E. Church commence tomorrow at 10 o'clock when there will be a love feast led by Rev. Gus W. Hobbs, of Baltimore. At 11 o'clock there will be preaching by Bishop Earl Cranston, of Washington. The Epworth League tomorrow night at 6:30 o'clock will be led by Rev. G. A. Luttrell. At 7:30 p. m., Rev. G. W Hobbs, will deliver his famous sermon "Reminiscenses of a Circuit Rider."

The topics for the sermons of Rev. W. F. Watson, D. D., at the First Baptist Church tomorrow will be as follows: 11 a. m., "The Forgotten Collection;" 7:45 p. m., "From Jerusalem to Jerico." The evening service will be attended by the Odd Fellows.

Rev. C. R. Strausburg of the Methodist Protestant Church will preach tomorrow on the following topics: 11 a. m., "An Unreasonable Demand;" 7:45 p. m., "Let no man take thy crown."

Services at the Scond Presbyterain Church tomorrow will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. John Lee Allison at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Mr. Allison will preach in the morning on "The Divine law of Development" and in the evening his subject will be evangelical.

Rev. J. Murray Taylor, D. D., of Middleburg, Va., who has been assisting in the revival services at the Second Baptist Church will preach tomorrow morning and evening. The services will be continued all next week at 7:45 p. m., every evening.

Services at the Free Methodist Church, 424 south Lee street, tomorrow will be as follows: Preaching by the pastor, Rev. George Eakins, at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer service at 7:30 p. m., on Thursday.

CHURCH SERVICES TOMORROW.

Christ Church.

Rev. William J. Morton, rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Services at 7:30 a. m., 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Confirmation class by Rt. Rev. R. A. Gibson, at 11 a. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

St. Mary's Church.

First mass at 7:00 a m., late mass and sermon 10:30. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Baptism at 3:30. Evening services at 4 o'clock.

Lutheran Church.

Rev. C. F. Brandt, pastor. Services at 11:00 a. m., in English. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German service every third Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.

Second Baptist Church; Rev. C. K. Hobbs, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services and sermon at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Epworth League services at 7:00.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor. Sabbath School, 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League services at 6:30 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., Christian Endeavor 6:45. No preaching tomorrow.

Rev. G. A. Luttrell Pastor of Trinity M. E. Church.

LAST NIGHT'S RECITAL.

Prize Awarded For Essays on Lift of Daniel O'Connell.

The asesmbly hall of St. Mary's was well filled last night with the friends of the young elocutionists who gave their first recital under the direction of Miss Gertrude Spetzler, of Baltimore, teacher of Dramatic Art at St. Mary's. The program was exceptionally well rendered and reflected great credit on the performers, while it proved Miss Spetzler to be as capable in the work of instructing as she has already shown herself to be in the histronic art by the splendid performances given in the city.

Though the teaching of elocution was introduced at the Academy only last January, and classes are held but weekly, yet the young ladies who appeared in last night's program evinced a grace of movement, clearness of enunciation and perfection of expression that promises well for their future development along dramatic lines.

Last year, Alexandria Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hbiernians, offered to give annually a prize in gold for the best essay on some Irish patroic, the subject to be asisgned by them yearly. This year the subject was "Daniel O'Connell," and last night the two winning essays were read and the awards made by the president of the organization, William Desmond. A large delegation of the order was present. In announcing the prize winners, Miss Mildred Goods, and Miss Sue Florance; Michael McFarland expressed the great pleasure it gave the order to further the study of the patriots that had made Ireland's history famous, adding at the same time that he hoped at no distant day the study of that great nation like the histories of England and France would find a place in the curriculm of all Catholic schools.

Bomb Found on Bank Steps.

Cardiff, Wales, April 25.—A ten-inch canister filled with dynamite, the fuse of which had burned to within half an inch of the explosive, was found early today on the steps of Lloyd's Bank.

"Votes for Women" was inscribed on the side of the cylinder, but the police were in doubt whether the bomb was the work of militant suffragettes or of anti-suffragist to discredit the women.

NOTICE O. E. S.

The members of Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42 O. E. S., are invited to attend the reception to the Grand Chapter of Virginia, at Westminster Building, Wednesday, April 30th, 8:15 p. m.

JESSICA CALLAHAN,
26 3t. Secretary.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 9th, 1913.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company will be held at the Elks Home, corner Prince and Royal Streets, Alexandria, Va., at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 1st day of May, 1913, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to ers of the Edwards Land and Buildserve for the ensuing year and transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Transfer books will be closed on April 21st, at four o'clock, p. m., and will be reopened on May 6th at ten o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. ARTHUR SELLMAN, Secty.
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NOTICE.

The regular annual stockholders meeting of the Virginia Marble Co., will be held at 305 King St., Alexandria, Va., Tuesday, the 29th day of April, 1913 at 12 M., for the purpose of the election of officers, etc.

WM. H. SAUNDERS
12 12t. Vice-President.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Castner Electrolyctic Alkali Company will be held at the office of the Company in the Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, May 8th, 1913, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

J. F. VAN NAME, Secretary.
23 td.

MASSACHUSETTS BREWERIES COMPANY.

To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the By-Laws of the Company the Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, the 28th day of April, 1913, at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.

1. To elect a board of nine directors of the Company.

2.—To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

EDWARD RUHL, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Columbia Real Estate Company, will be held at the office of the company, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, May 5, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and other business.

15 3t. A. P. FARDIN, Prest.
A. S. Jones, Secretary.

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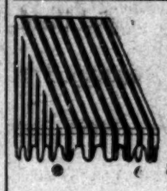

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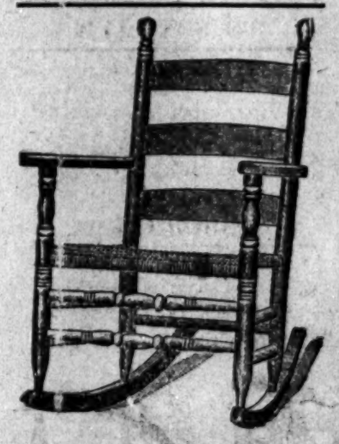

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